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In re application of

Kent Aaron NIXON et al.	Conf. 9590
Application No. 10/568,879	Group 3632
Filed: July 21, 2006	Examiner Kimberly T. Wood

DRINK CONTAINER HOLDING APPARATUS

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents	February, 23, 2010
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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2009, this period for response being extended a second month and a Notice of Appeal is being filed. This also responds to the Advisory Action mailed February 19, 2010.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.